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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Redd, et al.

Application No.: 10/627,393

Filed: 07/25/2003

For: IMAGE UPLOADING

Examiner: Rutledge, Della

Art Unit: 3935

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

To Office Action Date: 05/13/2004

10 Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sirs:

Applicant respectfully replies to the Office Action of May 13, 2004 as follows.

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THE SECTION 103 REJECTIONS

Claims 1-14 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Chui et al. (US 6,657,702) alone or in view of Calhoun (US 6,181,409) or Yamamoto et al. (US 5,703,701).

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Applicants respectfully traverse the Section 103(a) Rejection on the basis that Chui et al. (US 6,657,702) is not prior art in this case.